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SAFETY RECALL NOTICE

NHTSA Recall No. 22E-024

To: Owners of Certain Drag Specialties Replacement Laced Wheels

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the requirements of the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

LeMans Corporation, d/b/a/Drag Specialties ("LeMans"), has decided that a defect related to motor vehicle safety exists in certain Drag Specialties Replacement Laced Wheels based on information provided by the fabricating manufacturer. This notice applies to chrome, rear, 16" x 3.00" size wheels, Part No. 0204-0369, manufactured from June 1, 2021, through November 30, 2021, and shipped by LeMans to dealers after July 9, 2021. Specifically, the holes for the spokes in the hub of some these wheels are misaligned, which could cause wheel failure resulting in a crash without warning, increasing the risk of injury or death. According to dealership records, it appears that you purchased one of the covered wheels.

WHAT THE MANUFACTURER WILL DO

At this time, neither LeMans nor the fabricating manufacturer offers a wheel for this fitment that could serve as a replacement for the recalled wheels. Therefore, LeMans has concluded that the only appropriate remedy to address this defect is to provide a refund to the customer. We have instructed your dealer to reimburse you the price you paid for the wheel itself and any costs you incur in removing the defective wheel from your bike and installing a new replacement wheel.

WHAT YOU SHOULD DO

If you have a wheel covered by this recall, i.e., if you purchased and were shipped a Part No. 0204-0369 wheel after July 9, 2021, please immediately stop using the wheel.

Please contact your dealer promptly to make arrangements for:

a) Returning the wheel to the dealership. If you are not able to remove the wheel and bring it to the dealership for a refund, the dealer can make arrangements to pick up your motorcycle to remove the defective wheel, at no cost to you.

- b) Finding a replacement wheel. If the dealer does not have a replacement wheel in stock, the dealer will work with you to locate one and install it for you.
- c) Obtaining a refund from the dealer once the recalled wheel has been surrendered to the dealer for return to LeMans.

If you have any questions about this recall, please contact LeMans at (800) 369-1000 (please enter Prompt #1 for "Dealer Services") or by email at <u>magraves@parts-unltd.com</u>.

If you have any problems obtaining a refund, you can contact NHTSA at the address below:

Administrator National Highway Traffic Safety Administration 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20590

Alternatively, you may call the DOT Safety Hotline toll-free at 1-888-327-4236 (TTY: 1-800-424-9153) or go to <u>www.safercar.gov</u>.

Please know that LeMans and Drag Specialties are committed to quality and safety, and we apologize for any inconvenience this notification may cause. We will be happy to work with you in any reasonable way that supports your satisfaction and safety.

Thank you for being a valuable Drag Specialties customer.

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